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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 4006

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 4006 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Autism Spectrum Disorders Reporting Act is
5 amended by adding Sections 32 and 33 as follows:

6 (410 ILCS 201/32 new)

7 Sec. 32. Reporting; access to applied behavior analysis.
8 By no later than December 31 of each year the Department of
9 Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) shall submit a report,
10 covering the State fiscal year immediately preceding that
11 date, to the General Assembly regarding access to applied
12 behavior analysis therapy for persons diagnosed with autism
13 spectrum disorder. The report shall include, but is not
14 limited to, the following information:

15 (1) The number of providers enrolled in the Illinois
16 Medical Assistance Program certified to provide applied

1 behavioral analysis therapy services in the Department of
2 Healthcare and Family Services' fee-for-service or managed
3 care service delivery system, in accordance with
4 administrative rule and Department of Healthcare and
5 Family Services policy.

6 (2) The number of HFS-enrolled children in Illinois
7 with an autism spectrum disorder diagnosis receiving
8 applied behavior analysis therapy services pursuant to the
9 Department of Healthcare and Family Services'
10 fee-for-service or managed care service delivery system.

11 (3) Subject to data availability, the number of
12 HFS-enrolled children with an autism spectrum disorder
13 diagnosis for whom applied behavioral analysis therapy
14 services have been recommended or requested, but who are
15 not receiving applied behavioral analysis therapy
16 services.

17 (4) Subject to data availability for HFS-enrolled
18 children in Illinois with an autism spectrum disorder
19 diagnosis, the number of prior authorization service
20 denials for applied behavioral analysis therapy services
21 and the number of appeals resulting from those denials for
22 applied behavioral analysis therapy services.

23 (5) Recommendations on improving applied behavioral
24 analysis therapy provider network adequacy and enrollee
25 access.

1 (410 ILCS 201/33 new)

2 Sec. 33. Education and outreach materials; autism spectrum
3 disorder. The Department shall develop and distribute
4 education and outreach materials, developed to address common
5 literacy levels, that will inform and educate parents of
6 children with autism spectrum disorder who are enrolled in
7 Medicaid and eligible to receive relevant services and explain
8 how to access those services."